

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph number 0001, beginning at page 2, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0001] The present application is a continuation of ~~Attorney Docket No. 10017981-1~~ United States Patent Number 6,616,106, filed February 21, 2002, entitled "SYSTEM AND MEANS FOR THE SECURE MOUNTING OF A DEVICE BRACKET," the disclosure of which is hereby incorporated herein by reference.

Please replace paragraph number 0002, beginning at page 2, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0002] The present application is related to commonly-assigned, concurrently-filed, ~~U.S. Patent Application Attorney Docket No. 10017961-1~~ United States Patent Number 6,666,414, entitled "DEFORMABLE MOUNTING BRACKET" the disclosure of which is hereby incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

Please replace paragraph number 0021, beginning at page 5, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0021] Insertion of mounting bracket assembly 100 is facilitated by mounting bracket handle 103. Mounting bracket handle 103 may be rotated to facilitate insertion of mounting bracket assembly 100, thereby sliding mounting bracket assembly 100 into a mating base mounted bracket. The mounting bracket assembly 100 may then be locked or fastened to the bracket. When mounting bracket handle 103 is rotated in mounting bracket assembly 100 insertion direction, mounting bracket handle slots 104 engage rotation pegs 205 on chassis brackets 203 illustrated in FIGURE 2. Engagement of rotation pegs 205 by mounting bracket handle slots 104 locks mounting bracket assembly 100 into chassis brackets 203. Contact between mounting bracket handle slots 104 and rotation pegs 205 also locks mounting bracket assembly 100 in place, preventing mounting bracket assembly 100 from moving once mounting bracket handle 103 is preferably fully, rearwardly rotated. Mounting bracket handle 103 is fastened to mounting bracket assembly 100 with rivets 105 that allow forward or rearward rotation of mounting bracket handle 103. In other embodiments

different methods of fastening mounting bracket handle 103 to mounting bracket assembly 100 may be utilized, such as methods using bolts or pegs of metal, plastic, or other materials. The embodiment of Figure 1 also includes a deformable base conduction bracket 106. Conduction bracket 106 is used to ensure the easy installation and snug capture of a device by mounting bracket assembly 100. This design is described in detail in commonly-assigned ~~U.S. Patent Application Attorney Docket No. 10017961-1~~ United States Patent Number 6,666,414, entitled "Deformable Mounting Bracket," ~~filed concurrently herewith~~. Conduction bracket 106 is optional in other embodiments of the present invention.

Please replace paragraph number 0025, beginning at page 7, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0025] Each chassis bracket 203 also has one rotation peg 205 located close to a front end of chassis bracket 203 mounted or formed in side wall and extending parallel to the plane of chassis base 201. Each rotation peg 205 extends through chassis bracket 203, such that an approximately equal length of rotation peg 205 extends to either side of chassis bracket 203. In other configurations, rotation peg 205 may extend to only one side of chassis bracket 203. When mounting bracket handle 103 referred to in FIGURE 1 is rearwardly rotated, mounting bracket handle 103 engages rotation pegs 205 of the chassis brackets 203, inserting mounting bracket assembly 100 into chassis brackets 203 and securing mounting bracket assembly 100 tightly. Mounting bracket-handle assembly 100 is held in a rearward position by the engagement of rotation pegs 205 with mounting bracket handle slots 104 and/or by the engagement of chassis brackets 203 with mounting bracket assembly 100. The positions of mounting bracket assembly 100 and chassis brackets 203 before and after mounting bracket handle 103 rotation are better shown in FIGURES 3A, 3B, 4A, and 4B.

Please replace paragraph number 0027, beginning at page 8, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0027] In another embodiment, chassis brackets 203 and chassis base 201 are formed or manufactured from a ~~price~~ piece of material. Accordingly, separate chassis brackets would not have to be attached to the chassis base. For example, a single piece of sheet metal may be stamped to form chassis bracket slots 204 and tabs 202. The edges of the

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sheet metal piece, having chassis slots 204, may then be bent to form chassis brackets 203 while the center of the sheet metal piece forms chassis base 201.